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Press release

THINK WARMTH....THINK LANCASTER RECREATION

As we face another winter here in Western New York, we are all counting down the days till the sounds of a ball meeting a bat, the splash of pool, or the smell of a grilled hot dog is part of your lives. And the Town of Lancaster Parks, Recreation and Forestry department can help you with all these summer activities.

For adults, it's year 54 of adult softball as the department will offer softball leagues in both men's and coed leagues. Our men play on Wednesday, with our coeds taking the diamonds on Thursdays. A playground favorite, coed kickball is scheduled to play this year on Friday evenings. Women's sand volleyball is in its 22nd year, and plays on Tuesdays at Walden Pond Park. All teams from the above leagues will be contacted in early February. Grab some friends and get a team together for any of these summer favorites.

We can also supply you with the information from the various youth leagues of Lancaster. Lancaster/Depew Little League Baseball, Lancaster/Depew Ponytail Softball, and Lancaster/Depew Soccer all use town facilities, as well as Lancaster Boys Lax (lacrosse) and Lancaster Jr Redskin football.

Our Summer Happening brochure will be out Memorial Day Weekend with a complete listing of all of the Recreation Departments summer programs. We offer everything in lessons from swimming, to tennis, to golf, to track and field. Our playgrounds are scheduled to open in late June, with daily activities for children 7 and up. Lancaster Recreation sports camps give added instruction in various programs with an emphasis on improving oneself in that specific sport.

Our pool, besides being used for lessons, has open swim daily, senior swim, and aerobics to name a few programs. Two wading pools at Keysa and Meadowlea Parks gives those of a younger set the chance to cool down.

Want to be entertained, come on down to Oxford Park, home of the Senior Center and the Youth Bureau, on Tuesday evenings starting in late June at 7:30 pm and give the Town Band a listen.

Looking to just relax, rent a shelter in one of our parks for a picnic. Reservations are taken the first Monday in February by calling the Recreation Department.

The Senior Center operates year round with many activities for the senior set from fitness classes, to field trips, to arts and crafts and themed holiday parties throughout the year..

For information on any of the above programs, contact the Recreation department @ 684-3320, go to the Town of Lancaster NY website, or follow us on Facebook under Town of Lancaster, Parks, Recreation and Forestry.